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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: **Jacki MÜLLER, Achim ZÖLLKAU, Vera POHL, Ewa BEDNARSKA and Rainer SÜSSMANN**

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the subject patent application are the following:

1. Amendment and Reply;
2. Petition for Three (3) Month Extension of Time;
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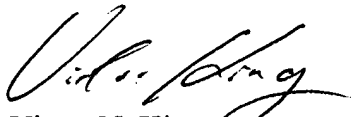
The claims have been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

For	Number after amendment		Number previously entitled to	Extra	Additional Rate	Fee
Total Claims	16	-	20	= 0 x	\$ 25.00=	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	4	-	3	= 1 x	\$ 100.00=	\$ 100.00
Multiple Dependent Claims - Fee if not previously paid \$180.00						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEES FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 100.00

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Victor N. King", written in a cursive style.

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